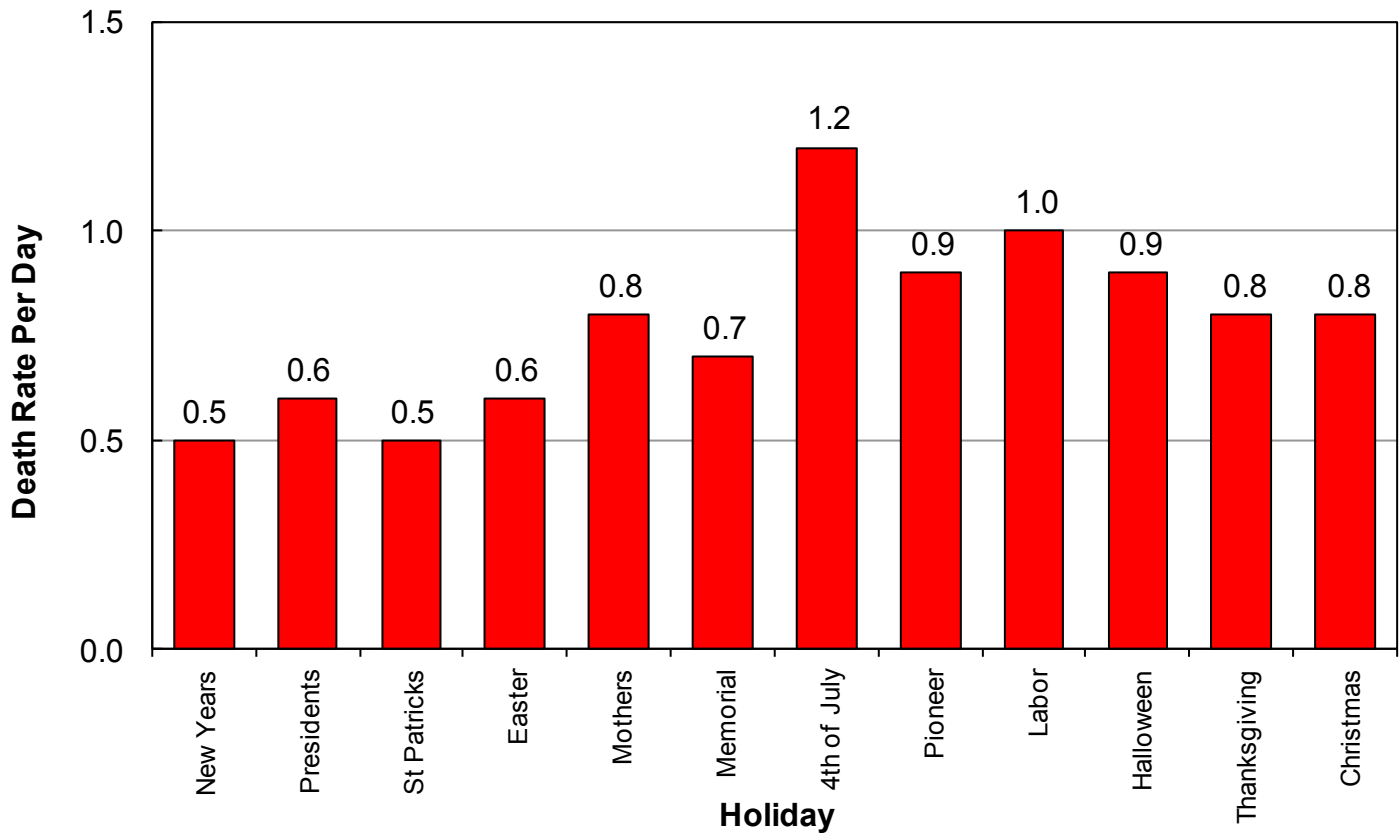


Holiday Deaths (Utah 2003-2012)



- Holiday deaths are a concern because of the increased death rate due to possible risk factors such as fatigue, impaired driving, long distance traveling, speeding, and traveling on unfamiliar roadways.
- Over the past 10 years, the 4th of July (1.2) and Labor Day Holidays (1.0) had the highest rates of deaths while the New Years (0.5) and St. Patrick's Day Holidays (0.5) had the lowest rates.
- In 2012, the Mother's Day Holiday had the highest death rate per day (2.0) while the New Years, St. Patrick's Day, Easter, Memorial Day, and 4th of July Holidays had the lowest rates (0.0).
- The holiday death rate per day was 0.5 which was lower than the rate per day for all 2012 days.

Note: Because of the differing lengths of holidays, the rate per day is provided and should be used for comparisons.

Holiday Deaths																										
Year	New Years		Presi- dents		St Patricks		Easter		Mothers		Memo- rial		4th of July		Pioneer		Labor		Hallow- een		Thanks- giving		Christ- mas		Total	
	#	Rate per Day	#	Rate per Day	#	Rate per Day	#	Rate per Day	#	Rate per Day	#	Rate per Day	#	Rate per Day	#	Rate per Day	#	Rate per Day	#	Rate per Day	#	Rate per Day	#	Rate per Day	#	Rate per Day
2003	3	1.0	4	1.0	0	0.0	1	0.3	2	0.7	2	0.5	4	1.0	7	1.4	7	1.8	4	1.0	2	0.4	8	1.6	44	0.9
2004	1	0.2	1	0.3	4	1.3	4	1.3	3	1.0	3	0.8	5	1.7	0	0.0	4	1.0	1	0.3	7	1.4	2	0.7	35	0.8
2005	5	1.7	7	1.8	2	0.4	2	0.7	1	0.3	7	1.8	9	2.3	4	1.3	3	0.8	11	2.8	4	0.8	2	0.7	57	1.3
2006	0	0.0	4	1.0	1	0.3	3	1.0	2	0.7	2	0.5	1	0.3	7	1.8	6	1.5	1	0.3	8	1.6	10	2.5	45	1.0
2007	0	0.0	1	0.3	3	1.0	2	0.7	1	0.3	2	0.5	3	1.0	4	1.3	6	1.5	5	1.7	6	1.2	1	0.3	34	0.9
2008	2	0.7	1	0.3	6	1.5	0	0.0	1	0.3	5	1.3	12	3.0	4	0.8	2	0.5	0	0.0	3	0.6	1	0.2	37	0.8
2009	1	0.2	3	0.8	2	0.7	4	1.3	2	0.7	4	1.0	1	0.3	1	0.3	2	0.5	1	0.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	21	0.5
2010	2	0.5	0	0.0	1	0.3	2	0.7	5	1.7	3	0.8	4	1.3	2	0.7	3	0.8	0	0.0	6	1.2	0	0.0	28	0.7
2011	3	1.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	0.3	0	0.0	1	0.3	3	0.8	1	0.3	3	0.8	5	1.3	0	0.0	1	0.3	18	0.4
2012	0	0.0	3	0.8	0	0.0	0	0.0	6	2.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	0.7	3	0.8	1	0.3	5	1.0	2	0.7	22	0.5
Total	17	0.5	24	0.6	19	0.5	19	0.6	23	0.8	29	0.7	42	1.2	32	0.9	39	1.0	29	0.9	41	0.8	27	0.8	341	0.8